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 AND MATURATION

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Missing Parts mailed January 30, 2004, said period of response being extended from March 30, 2004 to April 30, 2004.

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

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